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25X1 10. [] Met with Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, who said that he saw little chance of defeating the amendments to the Foreign Aid bill which concerned us on the floor of the Senate, and felt the best bet would be to amend them in conference with the House.

25X1 11. [] Called Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, to say there was confusion over whether the Chairman wanted to see the Director tomorrow afternoon to discuss amendments to the Foreign Aid bill. We agreed that we would bring over to Braswell our suggestions for Senator Stennis' use in this connection by around noon tomorrow, at which time Braswell might be able to clarify the Senator's wishes regarding a meeting with the Director.

25X1 12. [] Talked to Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, who told me that he will be engaged full time in the next several days in the mark-up of the Defense Appropriation bill and requested that delivery of the safe be delayed for a week or so.

25X1 13. [] Talked to Lynn Harris, in the office of Representative William Minshall (R., Ohio), who told me that the Speaker's office was unable to confirm the Speaker's dining room for Thursday but that they should know in the morning. As a backup, House Appropriations Committee room will be available in the event the Speaker's dining room should cancel out.

25X1 14. [] Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, called to say Senator Jackson had asked that she and Charles E. Horner (a recent addition to the Subcommittee staff) get a briefing on the India/Pakistan situation. I checked with [] and made arrangements for us to meet with the staff on Thursday, 28 October, at 3:00 p.m. Miss Fosdick said Horner has DOD top secret clearance (which I confirmed) and we agreed the briefing would not go higher than that level.

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